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MEMORANDUM FOR: WE Finance
1409 Barton Hall

ATTN : Mr. [Robert Carter] ⁰³

SUBJECT : Re-imbusement to U.S. Bureau of Customs

1. On 19 December 1961 a representative of WE/L/Security conferred with Mr. Chester Emerick, Chief, Investigations for the Bureau of Customs; at room 903; 2100 E Street, N.W., Washington, D. C.; phone, code 124, extension 3871; in regards to the Office of Customs participation in the future aims of Project JMATE. Mr. Emerick was particularly interested in the Agency's present and future needs for the assignment of a customs agent, Caesar Diostado (true name); presently at Key West, Florida. It is noted that this customs agent was assigned by the Bureau of Customs to Key West to service Agency requirements in that area.

2. Ordinarily there is not sufficient work in the Key West area to warrant the assignment of a full-time customs agent, and Mr. Emerick is interested in determining our needs for continued service of Mr. Diostado. Before initiating his transfer action, Mr. Emerick suggested that if the Agency requires the services of this customs representative for the future that the Agency assume the expense of his salary on a reimbursable basis. Mr. Diostado is a GS-11.

3. It is recommended that appropriate arrangements be made to continue Mr. Diostado's assignment at Key West, Florida. For your information, the payment of the individual's salary to the Bureau of Customs is a cheap price to pay for the cover and security this man provides our operation.

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